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Spelling rule 1

COPY DOWN THE I BEFORE E RULE:

Exceptions: LEISURE, SEIZURE, EITHER, NEITHER, WEIRD

1.

Circle which of these words are spelled correctly:

- a. Receive
- b. Theif
- c. Chief
- d. Greif
- e. Friend
- f. Deceive
- g. Belief
- h. Seizure
- i. Wierd
- j. Concieve

2. Choose the correct letter:

- a. My n(ei/ie)ghbor is away for the weekend.
- b. He w(ei/ie)ghs more than I do.
- c. The class couldn't bel(ie/ei)ve their ears.
- d. He had gotten into misch(ie/ei)f at night at the dorm.
- e. The teacher was happy to rec(ei/ie)ve all of the students' papers on time.
- f. Each person in the room saw the s(ei/ie)zure take place.
- g. My best fr(ie/ei)nd has a red car.
- h. (Ei/ie)ther come on time, or be marked late.
- i. The boy decided he would catch the th(ie/ei)f who stole his pen.
- j. The students couldn't conc(ei/ie)ve of an easier solution.